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**MEMORANDUM** 

MEMO NOs. QI-1825 FFS-1808

TO:

**QUEST Integration Health Plans** 

FROM:

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Med-QUEST Division Administrator

SUBJECT:

SUSPENDED PROVIDER

The purpose of this memorandum is to inform the Health Plans that Dr. Chris Boulange, Medicaid Provider ID# 087812, has been suspended by Med-QUEST effective September 27, 2016. Although the provider's enrollment was suspended, Med-QUEST continued to receive pharmacy encounters with this Prescribing Provider ID. Med-QUEST is working to create a new encounter error code that will prevent the encounter from continued processing in our system, if the Prescribing Provider ID is not active.

Med-QUEST also wants to reiterate the importance of always verifying that a provider's enrollment is Active on the Provider Master Registry (PMR) file, including the Medicaid provider ID and the National Provider Identifier (NPI). Any provider suspended by Med-QUEST should not be performing medical treatments nor writing prescriptions.

Should you have any questions, please contact Jon Fujii at (808) 692-8083 or by email jfujii@dhs.hawaii.gov.